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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Taiichi MORI et al. Group Art Unit: 2873
Appln. No.: 09/978,596 Examiner: A. Harrington
Filed: October 18, 2001
For: OPTICAL PICKUP APPARATUS RESTRICTING ABERRATION
AND OPTICAL DISC APPARATUS USING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2002,
the Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time
and request amendment of the above-captioned application as
follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS

Proposed changes to Fig. 3 are submitted with a Letter
the Official Draftsman.

IN THE ABSTRACT

A new Abstract is submitted on a separate sheet.

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